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In response to the Office Action September 28, 2004, setting a three-month statutory period for response that expires on December 28, 2004, reconsideration and withdrawal of the pending rejections and allowance of the application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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